Unity Gardens 2021 Grant Recipients

Spring 2021

**Annapolis High School**
Annapolis High School Courtyard Entrance
To continue the enhancement of the entrances to Annapolis High School by developing to pollinator gardens in an underused courtyard area and remediate erosion areas and sediment runoff.
Annapolis

**Arundel Rivers Federation**
Herrington Harbour Stream Restoration and BMP
To purchase plants for a large scale stormwater Best Practice Management and restoration planting, located near a stream flowing into Herring Bay.
Tracy’s Landing

**Beverly Beach Neighborhood Association**
Beverly Beach Neighborhood Marina Butterfly Garden
This project will convert an area covered with turf at the edge of our neighborhood marina into a conservation landscape with a native butterfly garden, to help intercept storm water from the street that currently spills directly into Cadle Creek.
Mayo

**Cedar Ridge Homes Association**
Green Mulch for a Sustainable Landscape
This project will incorporate a “green mulch” philosophy into an existing conservation landscaped area by adding native groundcovers to promote a more sustainable landscape that will require less maintenance and more habitat value.
Annapolis

**Herald Harbor Citizens Association**
Herald Harbor Community Tree Planting
Locust Trail Reforestation Site
To provide funding for community planting efforts and restoration of community property.
Crownsville
Indian Creek School Green Club
Indian Creek School (ICS) Green Club Garden
To fund a demonstration pollinator garden in a highly visible area.
Crownsville

Key School
The Meadow at Key School
To allow the fourth grade to plant a variety of native plant species in the meadow area of Key School during Earth Week and to improve the meadow area for use as an outdoor classroom.
Annapolis

Marley Glen School
Marley Glen Special School Pollinator Garden
To create a pollinator garden for students and teachers to use in studying pollinators. We are a Maryland Green School and this project is part of our ongoing effort to green our campus.
Glen Burnie

Severn House Condominium
Severn House Hill Erosion
To plant native ground cover to reduce amount of erosion in to Back Creek.
Annapolis

St. Luke's Episcopal Church
St. Luke’s Restoration of Nature
The purpose of this grant is to purchase native plant material for erosion control, habitat enhancement, and to replace other plants removed for control of invasive species (English ivy, Japanese honeysuckle, etc.).
Annapolis

Timbers Civic Association
Timbers Civic Association/Eagle Scout Project
To transform an area currently overrun with invasives into a walking path and memorial garden surrounded by pollinator plants and native shrubs.
Arnold
Chesapeake Bay Foundation
Bioretention Rehabilitation and Conservation Landscape
This project will restore and rehabilitate an existing stormwater management area (bioretention) by removing invasive plant species and vines and installing a 1,550 square foot conservation landscape consisting of native trees, shrubs, and perennials.
Annapolis

Crofton Civic Association
A Pollinator Paradise at Swann Park
The Crofton Civic Association and enSprout are partnering to rejuvenate our community’s connection to nature by establishing and maintaining a new pollinator garden at Swann Park in Crofton, Maryland. If awarded this grant, our educational program will target the community’s families, teaching them how to contribute to a healthy, sustainable ecosystem through environmental stewardship.
Crofton

Eden Ministry Rain Garden Renewal
Empowering Believers Church
This project will engage our historic African American congregation in environmental action and increase our understanding of the way specific native plants can be used to address stormwater runoff, especially in areas where standing water and flooding are an issue.
Glen Burnie

Fair Oaks Community Association
Native Plants for Stormwater: Center Court
Stormwater management for the surrounding basketball court area to eliminate stormwater runoff into the adjacent Cool Spring Cove which feeds into Cattail Creek & the Magothy River.
Severna Park

Historic Baldwin Hall
Native Plants Project 2021
Improve the grounds of Historic Baldwin Hall by removing overgrown bushes and planting smaller native plants to make grounds more attractive for people and wildlife.
Millersville

Historic London Town and Gardens
Visitor Center Berm Restoration and Enhancement to Create a Pollinator Corridor
London Town will restore and enhance the berm in front of the Visitor Center. This grant would complete our efforts to turn the berm into a true pollinator garden, while using low-watering techniques to serve as a “Bay-wise” example.
Edgewater
Jug Bay
Friends of Jug Bay
The purpose of this grant is to revamp the raised garden bed in the parking lot of the visitor's center at Jug Bay Wetlands Sanctuary.
Lothian

Severn Park Library
Native Garden
Hollyberry Garden Club will use fund received to purchase native plants and mulch to expand and supplement the existing Native Garden at the Severna Park Library.
Severn Park

St. Andrews by the Bay
Woodland Edge Restoration
This project will add perennials to the Woodland Edge Restoration planting of trees and shrubs started last year at St. Andrew by the Bay Catholic Church. This will provide additional wildlife habitat, replace invasives, beautify the parish grounds, and engage parishioners in planting, caring for, and appreciating native plants.
Annapolis

St. Anne's Cemetery
Together with the Thursday morning gardening team, aka “Cemetery Stewards”, we are planning to remove invasive vines and ivy and stabilize the bank with native plants. This project will be the first step towards creating a meditation garden for reflection and the future installation of a columbarium.
Annapolis

Tawes Garden
Plant Mural Transition
This grant will be used to redesign a portion of the Plant Mural in Tawes Garden to incorporate more native plants at Helen Avalynne Tawes Garden
Annapolis

Wilson Grove HOA
Turf Lot Improvement
To provide funding to transform a portion of a turf field using native trees and plants to create a pollinator garden and bird-friendly habitat in a highly visible area of the community.
Gambrills